



ÉCOLE SEAFORTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

We Need You!

There are many opportunities for you to assist in your child’s education by getting involved at the school. As the school year begins, we ask that you look at the following activities to see if you can volunteer your time with other parents to help make the school community a success. **Please note that all Coordinators will receive information about last year’s events and guidance from our experienced PAC Exec to help you run a successful event.**

- ☐ **CROSSWALK SUPERVISION:** We need adult volunteers to provide assistance to our dedicated student crossing guards. Shifts are from 8:40-9:00 am or 2:55-3:15 pm.

<input type="checkbox"/> Mornings (8:40-9:00 am)	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
<input type="checkbox"/> Afternoons (2:55-3:15 pm)	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
<i>(Circle the days you are available)</i>					

- ☐ **TRAFFIC SUPERVISION:** We need adult volunteers to monitor the pick-up/drop-off zone and ensure parents are following the traffic safety rules. Shifts are from 8:40-9:00 am or 2:55-3:15 pm.

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- ☐ **SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:** Scheduled for **September 18 and 19 (French) during the parent/teacher intake meetings and again in the spring (English)**, these book fairs earn money and books for our Library. We need volunteers to help set up and then assist with supervision and sales.

<input type="checkbox"/> September 17	2-3 pm		
<input type="checkbox"/> September 18	12-2 pm	2-4 pm	4-5:30 pm
<input type="checkbox"/> September 19	12-2 pm	2-4 pm	4-6 pm
<i>(Circle the times you are available)</i>			

- ☐ **CHECK-A-CHILD:** To call parents of absent children to ensure they are legitimately absent rather than missing.

<input type="checkbox"/> Mornings (9-9:55am)	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
<i>(Circle the days you are available)</i>					

- ☐ **LIBRARY:** Volunteers are needed to help card and shelve books. We also need volunteers to help cover new library books so they can go out on the shelves. Training is provided. The time commitment ranges from 30 to 90 minutes once a week.

- ☐ **FAMILY PHOTO NIGHT:** To be held **for** four nights in early October 5–9 pm in the library. We need volunteers to help out throughout the evenings of the photo sessions. This is pretty much the easiest volunteer position of the year, since you just need to help the families fill out paperwork. Bring a book and grab a few hours of quiet reading time!

- ☐ **WACKY WEDNESDAYS:** We need volunteers to help supervise the children and provide “crowd control”. Wacky Wednesdays take place during lunch approximately five times during the year.

- ** SANTA’S BREAKFAST:** This annual event is scheduled for **December 21**. A separate notice will be going home the first week of December for this event. Please sign up again when the Santa’s Breakfast form goes home.

- ☐ **JINGLE BELL WALK:** This annual event is scheduled for **December 7**. Parent drivers of this mini-van brigade are needed to accompany the children as they collect food for the food bank, and also to pack the food into boxes. The time commitment is from one to three hours.
- ☐ Coordinator

☐ Driver (all vehicles welcome!)

☐ Packer
- ☐ **FAMILY SOCIAL:** To be held in February or later in the spring, we’re looking for ideas to turn this social event (and major fundraiser) into something that is fun for the whole family. We need to start planning before Christmas. Get a group of friends together and let’s start planning!
- ☐ **SPIRIT DAY:** Scheduled for the spring, many volunteers are needed to help Spirit Day run smoothly.
- ☐ **SPORTS DAY:** Scheduled for **May 17**, we need a coordinator and also need parents to help run the concession.
- ☐ **STAFF APPRECIATION LUNCHEON:** Scheduled for **late May**. Parents are needed to coordinate, serve and decorate!
- ☐ **PAC GENERAL MEETING SIGNAGE:** A volunteer is needed to put up three meeting signs around the school before 8:30 am on the morning of each general meeting and take them down in the evening after the meeting.
- ☐ **GRADE SEVEN GRAD COMMITTEE:** Volunteers are needed for this joint staff–parent committee to organize year-end events for the graduating class.
- ☐ **SAFE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:** Volunteers are needed to brainstorm and help coordinate activities.
- ☐ **EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE:** To work with the school principal to ensure our emergency container is adequately stocked and to help coordinate disaster plans and drills.
- ☐ **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE:** To examine the different technical options available to Seaforth students and coordinate a long-term technical plan with the school and district.
- ☐ **PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE:** To develop a plan to upgrade the playground equipment to ensure it offers the highest level of safety and enjoyment for our students.
- ☐ **ALL-ROUND GOOD SAMARITAN:** Parents are always needed for events that come up throughout the year and for new events that we haven’t set dates for yet. If you are able to help every once in a while, please indicate your availability:

☐ Mornings

☐ Afternoons

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*** Please **MARK YOUR CALENDAR** for the events you have signed up for and return this form as soon as possible!

Name:

Phone:

E-mail:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

